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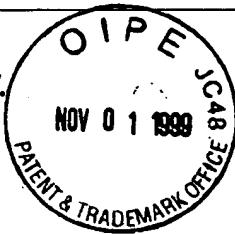
In re Application of:

ULLRICH *et al.*

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CLK, AND SIRP PROTEINS AND
RELATED PRODUCTS AND
METHODS



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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 28, 1999, Applicants request that the following amendments and remarks be made of record in the above-captioned patent application.

Please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 1, line 3, please delete "NOVEL PTP20, BDP-1, CLK, AND SIRP" and insert in lieu thereof --NUCLEIC ACIDS ENCODING BDP-1--; and

line 4, please delete "AND METHODS".

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